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Cuban Consulate late yesterday held special press conference stated that his government believed that new invasion of Cuba imminent. Said President Kennedy's recent disavowal of invasion plans bears similarity to declaration by President shortly before invasion Bay of Pigs. He warned people of Jamaica that as Cubassacclosest neighbor they would necessarily be affected by war in Cuba as would 25,000 Jamaicans resident in Cuba. Concluded by saying believes people of Jamaica would not want to be party to American plans for hostilities against Cuba.

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